

Bush Says C.I.A. Must Continue Oaths of Secrecy for Employees

PITTSBURGH, May 28 (AP)—The Central Intelligence Agency must continue its employee secrecy oaths "to keep our open society open," George Bush, former Director of Central Intelligence, said yesterday.

"In an open society, it's sometimes necessary to keep things secret," he said. "To protect some of the methods and sources of intelligence, that's the back-

drop of the oath."

Mr. Bush spoke at a news conference at a convention called the National Republican Heritage Groups Council, attended by 600 people. In his speech he pledged to maintain his own secrecy pledge.

"It's time we got off the back of the F.B.I., got off the back of the C.I.A. and find ways to strengthen our intelligence capabilities. The C.I.A. made a handful of mistakes in the past, but it was accused of a barrellful of things that never happened."

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